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Abstract

(In conjunction with Fig. 1)

In commercial laundries, installations for the washing and, if appropriate, spin-drying of the laundry, which have a plurality of washing machines (10), are used. The washing machines (10) are conventionally arranged in a free-standing manner in the laundry. This takes up a large amount of space and makes it difficult to operate the washing machines (10) and supply them with electrical power and water. Moreover, the individual washing machines (10) make it difficult to treat sterile laundry.

The installation according to the invention is distinguished in that a plurality of washing machines (10) are arranged so as to stand next to one another in a row. Such an arrangement is space-saving and simplifies the supply of the washing machines (10) with electrical power and water and also washing aids. For the sterile treatment of the laundry, the row of a plurality of washing machines (10) standing next to one another can be separated from a sterile area (16) in a simple way by means of a partition (17).